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DECL. OF MANNY STARR ISO PLAINTIFF'S SECOND SUPPLEMENTAL BRIEF IN OPPOSITION TO DEFENDANT'S MOTION TO DISMISS FOR LACK OF PERSONAL JURISDICTION

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## **DECLARATION OF MANNY STARR**

- I, Manny Starr, declare as follows:
- 1. I am a citizen of Los Angeles, California at all times relevant. I am acting counsel for the named Plaintiff, Gor Gevorkyan ("Plaintiff"). I make this declaration in support of Plaintiff's Second Supplemental Brief In Opposition To Defendant's Motion To Dismiss For Lack Of Personal Jurisdiction. If called as a witness, I could and would testify competently to the following facts, all of which are within my own personal knowledge.
- 2. Attached hereto as **Exhibit 1** is a true and correct copy of the transcript of the hearing that took place on December 19, 2019.
- 3. Attached hereto as **Exhibit 2** are the relevant excerpts of the deposition of Gang Ren.
- 4. Attached hereto as **Exhibit 3** is a true and correct copy of Plaintiff Gor Gevorkyan's invoice for the sale of Antminer S9 ASIC devices.
- 5. Attached hereto as **Exhibit 4** is a true and correct copy of the December 22, 2020 Riot Blockchain 8-K filing.
  - 6. Attached hereto as **Exhibit 5** is a Bitmain blog post from March 15, 2021.
  - 7. Attached hereto as **Exhibit 6** is the LinkedIn Page of Tianlin (Irene) Gao.
- 8. Attached hereto as **Exhibit 7** is a true and correct copy of the declaration of Luyao Liu filed in the United States District Court Southern District of Florida Miami Division, Case no. 1:18-CV-25106-KMW.
- 9. I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States and the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct and that this Declaration was executed on this 4th day of October 2021, in Los Angeles, CA.

/s/ Manny Starr
Manny Starr

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